

GETTING READY  
Every expectant mother has  
a trying ordeal to face. If she does not



### Mother's Friend

Is the best help you can use at this time. It is a liniment, and when regularly applied several months before baby comes, it makes the advent easy and nearly painless. It relieves and prevents "morning sickness," relieves the overstrained muscles, relieves the distended feeling, shortens labor, without recovery rapid and certain without any dangerous after-effects.

**Mother's Friend** is good for only one purpose, viz.: to relieve motherhood of danger and pain.

50c bottle per bottle of all drug stores, or sent by mail on receipt of price. For those who desire a reliable information for women, will be sent to any address upon application to:

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.,  
Atlanta, Ga.

**Wanted—An Idea** Who can think of some simple thing to do to help women in their distress? Write to J. W. Smith, Camden, S. C., for a list of two hundred inventions wanted.

No-To-Bac for Cigarettes. Guaranteed tobacco habit cured without drugs. Write for free literature. No. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

**MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL**

**PATENTS**

Patents for Invention. Our Office is Opposite U. S. Patent Office and we have a large staff of experienced attorneys. We advise, if patents are not, free of charge. Our fee is \$100.00. A sample of our work is sent free. Address: C. A. SNOW & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C.

**AUSTIN HOTEL**

F. O. AUSTIN, Mgr.  
531 West Market Street, Between 5th and 6th, Louisville, Ky.

CLERKS: R. L. BAKER AND T. O. BAKER.

**Louisville Dental Co.**

114 W. 4th St.

**OWENSBORO, KY.**

Gold Crowns . . . \$5.00

Porcelain Crowns . . . \$3.00

Best set of teeth (no better made) . . . \$10.00

no matter how much you pay . . . \$5.00

Gold fillings . . . \$1.00

Silver filling . . . . . 75c

Extracting, per tooth . . . 25c

Painless extracting with "Vitalized Air" . . . . . 50c

Extracting free when Artificial Teeth are ordered. Office permanent by located.

**Wanted—An Idea** Who can think of some simple thing to do to help women in their distress? Write to J. W. Smith, Camden, S. C., for a list of two hundred inventions wanted.

No-To-Bac for Cigarettes. Guaranteed tobacco habit cured without drugs. Write for free literature. No. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

**GROVES**

MAKES CHILDREN AS FAT AS PIGS

**TASTELESS CHILL TONIC**

IS JUST AS GOOD FOR ADULTS. WARRANTED. PRICE 50c.

GALATIA, ILL., Nov. 16, 1902.

Paris Medicine Co., 21, Rue de la Paix, Paris, France.

Continued: "We sold last year 800 bottles of GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC and have bought three more already this year. In all our experience of 12 years, in the drug business, have never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your Tonic. Yours truly, ADRIAN, CARR & CO., Sole Agents for Louisville, Ky."

For sale by Williams & Bell.

**MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

has demonstrated ten thousand times that it is almost infallible

**FOR WOMAN'S PECULIAR WEAKNESSES.**

Irregularities and Derangements. It has become the leading remedy for this class of troubles. It exerts a wonderfully healing, strengthening and soothing influence upon the menstrual organs. It cures "whites" and falling of the womb. It stops flooding and relieves aching.

pressed and painful menstruation. For Change of Life. It is the best medicine made. It is beneficial during pregnancy, and helps to bring children into the world free from disease. It invigorates, stimulates, strengthens the whole system. This great remedy is offered to all afflicted women. Why will any woman suffer another minute with certain relief within reach? Wine of Cardui costs \$1.00 per bottle at your drug store.

For advice, in cases requiring special directions, address, please, to the "Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Rev. J. W. Smith, Camden, S. C., says: "My wife used Wine of Cardui when suffering from the womb and it entirely cured her."

**MERCHANT'S GARGLING OIL**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

# THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN.

OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE PARTY IN THE FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

VOL. X.

HARTFORD, KY., FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1897.

No. 2

## IS DEAD.

### Nebraska Silverites on the Free Coinage Issue.

## WANT BRYAN SILENCED

### Effort to Keep Him Within His Own State.

## FARMERS LAUGH AT 16 TO 1

Lincoln, Neb., July 28.—For the past two months the leaders of the silver party in Nebraska have been manifesting much uneasiness concerning the lecture business of W. J. Bryan. Primarily a number of his warmest supporters remonstrated with him about trying to begin the campaign of 1900 at once after the close of the last one. But he thought differently. Now, however, his leading supporters in this State are determined to have him pulled off.

A conference of the leading agitators was held here recently, in which this question came up, and it was decided that something ought to be done at once, if Mr. Bryan is ever to make another presidential race. The plan as adopted was that he should be ordered to come home at once for the fall campaign, as his services were needed to elect the Populist State ticket, then groom him for Governor on the fusion ticket next fall, and gradually turn him from his present route to a position where he can make a dignified race in 1900 for the presidential campaign.

One of the members of that conference has made public the substance of the sentiment that prevailed at the meeting and it is provoking much comment. In discussing the situation, he said: "It would appear that the interest is lessening in the silver issue daily all over the country, and if Mr. Bryan keeps on he will have nothing to tell in the next campaign. He can get him at home and keep him quiet on the silver business, elect him Governor and send Gov. Holcomb to the Senate next year, all the factions will be in line for Bryan to make the campaign in 1900. We have almost abandoned hope, for the silver issue appears to be dead, but unless on that issue we can not see how Bryan will be a factor in the next presidential campaign."

While his leading supporters here think the silver issue dead, Bryan is not inclined to come home and go in the State campaign, but would prefer to stay on the platform. If we can not get him into this plan, however, we are firmly of the opinion that he can never make another race. Even as it is, we can scarcely get the former silver forces out to the county conventions. They insist they are too busy to attend and laugh at our advice that they should keep up the party organizations as they began immediately after the last campaign closed.

"We accept this as the forerunner of the inevitable lack of interest in the white metal. Some attribute it to the great crops and general business revival and think the agricultural element will begin to attend the silver rallies as soon as the crops are out of the way, but we think differently. Bryan has not yet refused to abandon the platform, but at least has not said he would. He says he is willing, however, to stump the State this fall in the interest of the fusion ticket."

**A Lost Opportunity**  
A little group of men were talking the other evening in the glowing time, when people seem to think more

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

**WINE OF CARDUI**

about what they might have been than they do at any other hour of the day, and the subject was lost opportunity, says the Washington Star.

"I hate to refer to the matter at all," remarked the Colonel, who fought through the late war at the head of a Michigan regiment, "because it only makes me more my contempt for myself, but I've had chances in the North west to put myself in the millionaire class that anybody but a confirmed yep would think of neglecting. After the war I was a 'land-lubber,' as they are called, and I knew the whole country from Detroit clean through to the far corner of Minnesota, and right where there are big buildings and beautiful city squares to day I could have bought land at any price I might name. One man wanted me to buy, in Duluth, a few lots at \$50 apiece, and I laughed at him. They are now worth \$5 a square foot and upward. I picked up one piece of land at Agate Harbor for \$100 and sold it for \$1,000 that is worth \$50,000 now, and I wouldn't give a man \$250 for a tract that is worth as many thousands this very minute."

"But these are small potatoes, and few in the hill to the biggest piece of lost opportunity I was ever guilty of," and the colonel sighed profoundly. "You know that famous Mesaba iron mine country in there on Lake Superior, where they are taking out thousands of tons every year of the richest iron ore on earth, and any quantity of men are enjoying princely incomes from their royalties? Well, before anybody ever heard of the Mesaba lion ore I was up there running a line north from the Coquet river, and one day I began to have all sorts of trouble with my compass."

"Ordinarily it was a very tractable and reliable instrument, but here, for some reason, it acted strangely, or rather refused to act at all, and I could hardly get any sense out of it. I kept going ahead however, and for ten minutes my trouble continued. Then it was over, and I never was quite so glad of anything as when that compass began to work again, and I did not have to try my course by the sun."

"I knew before I finished what the matter was, but what did that iron under the ground that swerved my needle out of its course mean to me? Nothing. That's all, I was a plain everyday chump. What I was after was timber, and the timber all after there was not of sufficient quality to justify giving the land a second thought, and I didn't. Think of it, men and brethren," sighed the colonel again, "there I was walking over and standing on millions and millions of dollars, and I could have had all of it I wanted for the mere having sense enough to take it up, and I didn't have the sense."

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss

LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank I. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLEASON,

Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Investigate Dr. Bell's Peppermint

Chill Tonic. It leaves no evil after effects. It cures chills permanently. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

The croakers who complained of Secretary Seward's course because he paid seven millions of dollars for Alaska showed about as little wisdom as the croakers of today who have insisted that nothing but the free and unlimited course of silver would bring back prosperity to the United States. Alaska has already brought to the United States many dollars more than it cost as, in its fur and gold industry, and now it has developed the richest gold mine in the world.

This enormous gold find within our own territory, coupled with the fact that the gold mines of the world are producing this year more than ever in history and that we are going to draw great quantities of gold from abroad in payment of our splendid crops, for which high prices are predicted, promises a good supply of money and prosperity in the United States during the coming year, and indeed indefinitely.

A Judge in Mississippi has advocated a plan to stop lynchings which he carried out will go far to lessen the number of lynchings in the country. His plan briefly told is simply this: Whenever a crime of unusual atrocity is committed in his circuit he proposes to call a special term of court and try the criminal at once. The law's delay is responsible for many of the lynchings which occur. If the people knew the accused would be speedily tried there would be less disposition to take the law in their own hands.

## HARDIN'S CAREER.

### The Noted Criminal Dies in the Michigan City Prison.

Ketchum his Real Name and Louisville his Former Home.

Charles H. Ketchum, the express robber and noted criminal, died Wednesday in the Michigan City, Ind., penitentiary from the bursting of a blood vessel. At the time of his death he was serving a five year sentence for snatching a tray of diamonds in Indianapolis on December 31, 1895.

Ketchum was one of the best known criminals in the United States. He began his career at the age of fifteen years in Louisville, which was the place of his birth. Beginning as a common thief he rose in his profession until he became, in the words of Superintendent Murray, of the Pinkerton agency, "a robber of cool and original genius, a forger, a bank sneak and the cleverest express plunderer that ever happened." The star of his career was the robbery of a \$35,000 package from the Adams Express Co. The robbery was committed in Louisville, and is still fresh in the minds of many.

During the winter of 1893 a package of money, containing \$35,000, was consigned from Cincinnati to the Wells Fargo Express Co. at New Orleans, via the Adams Express Co. When the package reached its final destination at Galveston, Tex., it was found to contain nothing but brown paper, cut the exact size of bills and packed tightly between pieces of photographers' card board. The Wells Fargo people claimed that the substitution had been made in the hands of the Adams Express Company, between Cincinnati and Nashville. The clearest express and train detectives obtainable were put to work on the case, and worked unceasingly for many months. The Adams Express messengers had been on a strike some time before the robbery, and a young man, giving his name as Hardin, had secured a position. Suspicion fell upon him, and he was arrested, but the evidence was not sufficient to hold him, and he was released. Soon afterwards he brought suit for damages against the Adams Express Company for alleged false arrest. It was pending this suit which was finally dismissed, that Hardin was arrested by Kansas City detectives as Charles Ketchum, an escaped Missouri convict. Then ensued a world famous trial before Judge Field on a question of identity. Henry Ormsby, an old schoolmate, testified that Hardin was Ketchum, and Judge Field so decided. Hardin was then released.

Charlton Elrod, the Louisville photographer, had been an intimate friend of Hardin, and was instrumental in getting him the job as express messenger. The photograph paper which made up the dummy bills in the looted package was the first clew which led to the arrest of Hardin, and later of Charlton Elrod for complicity in the robbery. The rubber stamp with which the false package was marked was made in Louisville, but the maker could not identify Hardin as the man who gave the order.

After Hardin had been arrested away from Louisville a second time for the robbery, and taken to Nashville for trial, Charlton Elrod was nabbed in Louisville and hustled to the Tennessee capital and put on his defense. The cases of both were heard at the same time. The verdict of "not guilty" caused surprise, especially in the case of Hardin.

Afterward Hardin's wife made a statement in which she told all about the robbery, her husband having the leading part. It was then, of course, too late to utilize the information, but Ketchum soon gave the law a fresh hold on him by stealing a tray of diamonds.

Hardin, or Ketchum, which was his real name, was the son of a carpenter dealer. The family just after the war and for some years later lived on Oak street, between Third and Fourth. Charlie was a wild youth. His first grave offense was the robbery of a letter box. He got out of this account of his youth, and then the family moved to Kansas City. There his criminal career was continued and he became a fugitive from justice. Later he turned up in Louisville, and then the express robbery was committed. Ketchum was about thirty-six years of age.

I had granulated lids for twenty years. I tried many doctors and lots of medicine to no avail. A skin had grown over my eyes and they grew worse until I could not recognize one across the street. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve cured me sound and well in ten days. Yours, Mrs. W. C. Woodall, Murfreesboro, Tenn. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

"Well, my son," said a Hickman father to his boy, who wanted a wheel "you'll find one in the front end of that wheel barrow, and there is a big pile of ashes back of the house that will have to be moved. The handle bars are of white ash and are adjust-

## HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common water glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment of settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

## WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge an often expressed, that Dr. Kline's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists at fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail, mention THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN and send your full post-office address to Dr. Kline & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

## A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a bottle at J. H. Williams Drug Store.

## Notice to Lag Men.

The undersigned is again with John A. Reitz & Sons and will be ready about the 1st of August to make contracts for spring of 1898 delivery.

Would be pleased to see and make prices to all who contemplate cutting logs the present season. My Post-office address is Hartford, Ky., and will be in Hartford Mondays and Saturdays of every week, so far as possible. W. H. MOORE, 1-41 Agt. for Jno. A. Reitz & Sons.

Remember Bullington will give you a good shave, hair trim or shampoo.

**Scrofula, Skin Eruptions.**

Scrofula, Eczema, Tetter and similar diseases cannot be cured by local applications of ointments and liniments, for the disease is in the blood, and can only be reached by a blood remedy.

S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) is far ahead of other blood remedies because it does so much more. It promptly reaches and cures the most obstinate and deep-seated diseases which they have no effect upon whatever.

Mr. Thomas N. Tinney, of Corpus Christi, Texas, writes:

"For years I suffered from Scrofula, which seemed to grow worse under the treatment of physicians. At times the dread disease would extend to different parts of my body, causing severe eruptions of the skin and untold suffering. The many prescriptions I took did me no good, and the local application of remedies did not seem to reach the trouble at all, for they had no effect whatever. I resorted to almost every patent medicine recommended for the blood, but without result."

"I had almost despaired of ever being rid of this dreadful taint in my blood, when, by the advice of friends, I began to take S. S. S. (Swift's Specific), and before I had finished the first bottle I had secured an improvement. How much money and suffering I could have saved if I had only begun the right remedy!"

This S. S. S. proved to be, for as I continued its use I grew better, and was finally cured of the dread disease which had cursed my life for years, and had withstood the treatment of many so-called blood remedies, as well as of the best physicians. S. S. S. also cured me of a severe case of rheumatism. It is the only real blood remedy on the market."

It is not difficult to be cured of any blood disease, if the right treatment is given. S. S. S. is the only positive cure for Contagious Blood Poison, Scrofula, Cancer, Eczema, Rheumatism, or any other deep-seated blood disease, for it promptly reaches the seat of the trouble. It is the only blood remedy guaranteed Purely Vegetable, and contains not a particle of poison, mercury or other dangerous ingredients.

Valuable books can be had free by addressing Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

**THE RIGHT REMEDY.**

**THE IDEAL PANACEA.**

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial Bottles Free at J. H. Williams Drug Store.

**CASTORIA.**

is a very valuable medicine.

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

**CASTORIA.**

</



## Hartford Republican.

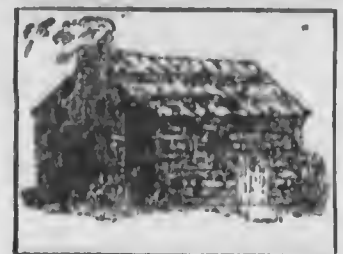
FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1897.

Office on Fox Street.

Entered Every Friday at Hartford, Ky.

SAM A. ANDERSON, Editor.

Subscription, \$1.25 per year.  
Entered at the post-office at Hartford  
as second class mail matter.



### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Election Nov. 2, 1897.

State Senator, Dr. T. G. Turner.  
Representative, R. C. Jarrington.  
County Judge, Jas. A. Park.  
County Clerk, M. S. Ragland.  
Circuit Clerk, Sam A. Anderson.  
County Attorney, M. L. Heavrin.  
Sheriff, S. T. Stevens.  
School Superintendent, Fon Rogers.  
Jailer, Thos. H. Black.  
Assessor, G. D. Royal.  
Coroner, L. W. Hunt.  
Surveyor, N. Moxley.

#### MAGISTRATE.

Hartford Dist.—Christopher Allen.  
Cromwell Dist.—Jont B. Wilson.  
Fordsville Dist.—Jacob Chancelor.

Wheat is still going up.

Silver continues to decline.

APPEARANCES indicate that Mr. Mr. Bailey, of Magoffin county, will receive the Republican nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals.

THE Republican party promised a return of confidence and stability, and the business world is well satisfied with the samples promptly furnished.

THE Mexican laborer gets his pay in silver just the same regardless of the heavy decline in the metal. He is the chief sufferer from a false standard.

It must be the gold dollar and the bushel of wheat that are twins, and some philosopher will soon be claiming that gold is depreciating when measured in wheat.

THE Popocrats feel blue in Iowa, tired in Kentucky and useless in Massachusetts. It is only in Ohio that are claiming everything as they dance around a bar.

The premium on gold in Mexico has been jumping up several points a day of late. Free silver in that region is working like one of Prof. Coin's theories.

GOLD has gone to a premium of 125 in Mexico, where silver is the standard and a favored product. Professors of silver have stopped pointing to Mexico as an object lesson.

HON. Jake Rowe, the present Commonwealth's Attorney of this district, was elected in his last race by about two thousand majority. He thinks he will increase that majority this year, but we are of the opinion that Jackie will find in November that his cheerful idles were only mere dreams.

The Republican convention last Monday at the Court House was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held in the county. Republicans of this county are thoroughly aroused, and determined, and there is no doubt that victory will perch on their banners in November.

THE delegates to the Judicial Convention at Owensboro were instructed to cast the vote of Ohio county for Hon. Geo. W. Jolly for Circuit Judge, and for our own countyman, Hon. E. P. Neal, for Commonwealth's Attorney. Mr. Jolly is a life long Republican and an able lawyer. He has been District Attorney for Kentucky and commands the utmost confidence of all people irrespective of politics. Mr. Neal is too well known in this county to need words of commendation from us.

THE National Democrats are preparing to put a candidate for Congress in the Fourth Congressional District. The Populists being at odds with Bryanites because of their shameful treatment in the last congressional race, will also put up a candidate and thus Bro. Dave Smith will have it slapped to him on three sides all at once. There is no possible chance for Smith to be re-elected, and there is a splendid chance for some good Republican, National Democratic or Populist.

THE Herald this week attempts to kick up a "hulla-boo" because Mr. R. A. Byers did not receive the Republican nomination, and says that he would have been nominated if the convention had been called at the same time of the last Republican convention. Perhaps he would—he is a good man—and would make a good Representative. Along this line, we might call the attention of the people to the fact that Mr. Frank L. Felix might have been the fusion nominee for County Attorney if he hadn't of had any opposition. Oh, well, Felix takes too much away.

PICK'S CURE FOR  
CROUP, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS.  
In time, and be cured.

WHEAT continues to go up; silver continues to go down.

MEXICO will soon be on the gold basis, and thus it will be a prosperous country.

THE Republican party is a business party. It passed the tariff bill more quickly after the inauguration of President McKinley than any party ever did after a Presidential inauguration since the time of Washington, and it would have made it a law much sooner but for the delay made by the Democrats in the Senate.

THE gold Democrats are extremely active in every part of the country. Their recent meeting in New York indicates great vigor and determination and very strong support from all parts of the United States. It is quite apparent that the sound money wing of the Democratic party is gaining rapidly upon the free coinageists.

MR. E. J. ASHCRAFT, of Meade county, has had made a gavel which he will present to Chairman C. M. Barnett to call the State Convention to order next Tuesday. Mr. Ashcraft had the gavel made from wood off the noted Lincoln farm in LaRue county. After the convention it will become the personal property of Mr. Barnett.

If the new tariff bill does not produce sufficient revenue to meet current expenses during its first few months, everybody will know that it is due to the enormous importation of the last three months, much of which would have been prevented but for the fact that the Democrats delayed action on the tariff bill by prolonging discussion in the Senate.

THE farmers of the country are evidently utilizing their first earnings under McKinley prosperity in paying off their debts. The Chicago Times-Herald has recently made a careful canvass of certain States in the upper Mississippi Valley, and reports many millions of dollars in farm mortgages being paid off with the money received for increased prices of farm products.

EVERYTHING seems to be moving in the interests of the American farmer. Not only are foreign crops light, but now comes the news that the Austrians are losing their sheep from starvation, and are slaughtering them for their pelts as rapidly as possible, thus cutting off one of the important wool supplies of the world. Australia's wool product last year was 643,000,000 pounds, or nearly three times that of the United States.

At the Senatorial Convention at Rockport Tuesday, Dr. T. G. Turner, of Muhlenberg county, was nominated to fill out the unexpired term of Senator A. D. James. He received the instructions from his home county and also from Butler county. Ohio county conceded the nomination to Butler county and voted as did that county for Dr. Turner, which gave him the nomination unanimous. Dr. Turner was formerly a resident of this county and is a very popular gentleman all over the District. He is thoroughly competent, and will make a careful and efficient Senator. He will certainly be elected.

A very remarkable feature of the coming campaign in this State, is the great activity and enthusiasm manifested by the National Democrats. They have perfected a complete organization and are prepared to send powerful orators into every county in the State. It is useless to deny that the National Democrats are growing stronger daily. The silver question having been exploded, silverites are left without an issue, with which to go before the people. The National Democrats will take advantage of the fact and will gain an army of new recruits by reason of this fact alone—of course the Bryanites will try to make silver an issue as heretofore. But the people are aware that silverites have always maintained that the low prices of farm products was due to the low price of silver. Advance the price of silver, said they, and you will likewise give the farmer good prices for his products. They argued that with free coinage silver would go up. But farm products have all gone upward in price and silver has gone downward, proving that the price of silver does not effect the price of product. Thus the theory of the silverites is thoroughly exploded and all who oppose Republicanism will ally themselves with the Populists or the National Democrats.

#### KLONDYKE.

Klondyke is a place or region in Alaska where gold is said to have been discovered. Even if this is true only a few of those who rush there madly, will find a fortune; many will find disappointment and despair, while others will find their death. In ancient times there was thought to exist on certain islands of the sea, beautiful women called sirens, who by their beautiful musical voices enticed men to their wretched death.

Gold is siren-like in that men will rush into the jaws of death to obtain it. Men will seek it though their best judgment tells them to avoid it.

Is voice however is like that of the lechered siren is all powerful and enticelg.  
Men will seek it but to die.

The effect of the new tariff bill is already apparent. Reports from every section of the country show an immediate and perceptible renewal of business activity and manufacturing.

"If the promises of the harvest fields are filled it will be hard for the crisis to persuade a thriving people that they need monetary panaceas to keep them out of the poor house."—[New York World.]

EVEN nature seems to have joined in the effort to convince the free silver advocates of their mistake; increased gold productions in every direction, joining with good crops in this country and good prices to prove that prosperity is not dependent upon the free coinage of silver at a false rate.

VENUE the free silver papers are coming over and are forced to admit that times are getting a great deal better, and that, too, under the Republican Administration. The Elizabethtown News, a red-hot free silver paper, says:

"The financial condition of the farmers in Kentucky will be much improved this year by the very large wheat crop and the very considerable advance in price over last year. It will bring a good deal of ready money in circulation and pay off a good many debts."

#### Require Attention.

The attack of the Democratic press and orators upon the sugar schedule of the tariff bill as finally passed are such as to require attention. That they are founded upon falsehood will be entirely apparent to everybody who may take the trouble to examine the facts in the case, and it is that everybody may understand the facts that this brief statement is presented. The Dingley bill as it passed the house placed a duty of 12½ cents per pound on refined sugar in excess of the average rates on raw sugar. This 12½ cents per hundred pounds, or 12½ of a cent a pound, is what is known as the "differential." It is the amount of difference between the rates at which the refiners are permitted to bring in raw sugar. Those who have studied the question express the belief that the actual cost of refining sugar is about 1½ of a cent per pound, and that it is proper that the refiners should be allowed to bring in raw sugar at 1½ of a cent per pound less than refined sugar, for if they were not so permitted, of course they could not carry on the business of refining in competition with the sugar refined abroad. The house bill was changed by the Senate Finance Committee so that the differential was about 22½ per hundred pounds, which was practically the same as the "differential" allowed to the refiners under the Wilson law. The Senate reduced this materially, putting it back to nearly the house rates. When the bill went to the conference committee, composed of members of the house and senate, the house conferees insisted upon an absolute restoration of 12½ cents per hundred pounds "differential." The Senate conferees urged a general increase of the protective rates of the bill in order to further protect the best sugar growers of the country, and the house conferees agreed to this, but still demanded that the "differential" between the rates of duty on unrefined and refined sugars should be 12½ cents per hundred pounds and no more. This was acceded to by the senate conferees and the bill when reported from the committee, made the rate on refined only 12½ cents per hundred pounds more than the rate on raw sugar, a "differential" of 1½ of a cent per pound, barely the cost of refining. This took away from the sugar refiners much of the profits which they had had under the Wilson law, but why, then, did sugar-trust stock advance when this action became known? That is the question which is frequently asked and easily answered. The sugar trust had imported more than 700,000 tons of raw sugar so that, when the advanced rates of the new law went into effect, they would be able to advance the price upon all the sugars which they had in stock, and thus make a profit of many millions of dollars. In view of this prospective profit, sugar stock had advanced from time to time but recently Secretary Gage recommended to congress that an internal revenue tax of one cent per pound be placed on all raw sugar in the country at the time of the enactment of the new law, which, if adopted, would have destroyed all prospective profit of the trust on these importations. The conferees, however, did not follow Secretary Gage's advice, and simply reported the bill with a differential of 1½ of a cent per pound. The moment it became known that the proposed internal revenue tax upon this enormous stock of goods in the hands of the trust was not to be so taxed under the internal revenue, it was realized that the profits of the trust upon the 700,000 tons, or billion and a half pounds would be very large, probably 10 or 12 million dollars, and it was this fact which caused the large advance in sugar stock which immediately followed the announcement of the agreement of the conferees upon the bill. It was not because the general rates imposed by the bill gives to the trust any advantage, for on the contrary it is admitted by all who are will to be frank on the subject that the bill reduces very materially the profit which the trust realizes on refining sugar, and bring the "differential" down to the mere cost of refining. When the facts become generally known this bill, both as to its sugar features and others, especially those which effect the farmers, will prove the most satisfactory which this generation has seen.—[Panorama] b.

#### Our Industrial Outlook.

The morning sun, on July 24, 1897, shone upon an encouraged industry throughout the length and breadth of the land. All doubt and uncertainty vanished. The capitalist and the laborer knew at least one fact, most important in our commerce and industry, that they will now be given a rest from tariff tinkering; that between the industries of this country and those of other countries a protective barrier has been erected to equalize conditions of protection and give to the producers in this country equality of opportunity in the race. The American workmen has a right to hope that the wheels of industry will soon be set in motion; the farmers will know that his best market is to be preserved to him; the laborers of the land know that at least to the extent of the wants of the American people, who are the best consumers in the world while their industries thrive the markets of our own people will be preserved to our own producers. Equality of opportunity is restored; the wages of our workmen are to be permitted to rise without the resistance which comes from the competition of lower paid labor in foreign fields. This is a better of confidence, a promise of higher and better times. The workers in the factory, in the mines and in the mills, protected in their pursuit of wage-earning, will become consumers of the products of the farms and of the factories; the standard of living, that sure accompaniment of higher wages, will be improved, and all our people who best thrive when all our industries are prosperous, will find contentment and prosperity in the new order of things.—[Ex.]

#### The Supply of Money.

The advocates of the free coinage of silver plant themselves on the proposition that the world's supply of money has been cut in two since 1873. Now, it is a very simple task to prove that the supply of money has not only declined since 1873, but has actually increased above the increase in population. The last report of the directors of the United States mint makes this statement of the supply of money per capita in 1873 and 1896, in the principal countries of the world:

	1873.	1896.
United States	21 36	24 03
Great Britain	9 90	20 80
France	36 99	35 47
Germany	13 59	19 28
Russia	9 56	7 93
Italy	4 88	9 96
Belgium	14 44	28 49
Netherlands	16 56	24 06
Austria-Hungary	9 49	9 81
Australia	20 38	27 96
Denmark	10 05	11 52
Sweden	2 75	2 79
Norway	6 39	6 65

The coin reserve held against outstanding paper is not included in this computation. The statement of the United States for 1873 includes the coin that was in the country, but it was not in use as money. The statement is of interest, not only as showing that the supply of money has more than kept up with population, but of showing how the supply of money varies in different countries, distributing itself as the world's supply of wheat does, according to the demand. The increase of England's stock is due to the increased balances kept in London by bankers over the world. The larger supply of France is due to the fact that its people do not use banks to the extent that other people do, but hoard their money. People inclined to dispute these figures may much better question the 1873 figures than the others. The uncertainties regarding money stocks are mainly farther back. Statistics since that time have been carefully kept.

#### A Rest for Tariff Changes.

The tariff plank of the platform adopted at the Republican National Convention at St. Louis in 1896 declared that "the country demands a right settlement" of the tariff issue, "and then it wants rest." Republicans believe that the Dingley act provides the "right settlement." Others besides Republicans believe this also, as the votes of Democrats and Populists for the bill in each branch of Congress at different stages reveal. Republicans and everybody else know that the country is going to have a "rest" from important tariff changes for four years to come, and probably for a longer period.

For the first time since 1890 the country sees ahead of it a period of entire freedom from tariff tinkering of all sorts. The sweeping Democratic victory in the congressional elections in November 1890, sounded the doom of the Republican tariff which was enacted a month earlier. A reverse for the party in power of anything like the dimensions of that of the congressional canvass of 1890 always means a partisan revolutions in the presidential campaign two years later. A defeat in that case, of course, meant the repeal of the tariff act, and everybody saw on the day after the election in 1890 that in the inevitable Democratic triumph two years afterward the McKinley tariff would have to go. A little over two months after the enactment of the Democratic tariff of 1891 the Republicans gained a victory in the congressional canvass as overwhelming as that which the Democrats achieved four years earlier, and then Democrats and Republicans knew that the Wilson-Gorman law's days were numbered.

Business now, for the first time in seven years, has a breathing spell. Tariff changes in even the slightest direction disturb trade. They cause uncertainty, and uncertainty in tariff legislation when sweeping alterations are pending or are expected is more destructive to business, during the time the uncertainty lasts, than is the

worst sort of a tariff law, for, to a certain degree, business can ultimately adjust itself to the most harmful discriminations or restrictions. Certainly is here, and it is certainly of the very sort which the country has been looking for for several years. The country now has a tariff which business men in general believe is intelligently calculated to help all important industrial interests, and that tariff is assured of a reasonable long lease of life. Several states have elections a little over three months hence, yet the Republicans have a fair assurance that they will hold their own in all of them. The critical time for the party will come in the congressional campaign next year, but the business improvement which has already arrived and the popular satisfaction which is expected for the tariff act afford ground for hope that the Republican hold on power will not be disturbed at that time.—[Globe-Democrat.]

#### Bucklen's Kidney Saver.

The Best Saver in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Williams & Bell.

#### EXCURSION TICKETS

VIA THE

Illinois Cen. R. R.

TO THE

TENNESSEE

CENTENNIAL

And International Exposition

AT

Nashville.

For the above excursion tickets will be sold by the Illinois Central Railroad at varying times, rates and limits, including a ticket on sale daily, good to return until November 7, and including tickets having limit of twenty days, fifteen days and seven days; also tickets on Tuesday and Thursday of each week with limit of fifteen days. For full particulars as to which of the above applies from your nearest Railroad Station in connection with the Illinois Central Railroad, call on or address your nearest Railroad Ticket Agent.

W. M. MURRAY, Div. Pass. Agent, New Orleans.

J. A. SCOTT, Div. Pass. Agent, Memphis.

A. H. HANSON, G. P. A., Chicago.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

W. A. KELLORD, G. P. A., Louisville.

#### Positively Cured.

The fact of Mr. George Kirk, of Thurston, and several others who took dinner at Mr. Kirk's, had a very narrow escape from death Sunday by begin poisoned from eating ice cream.

Those poisoned were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kirk and three children, Mrs. Lizzie Hagan and child, Harvey B. Hart, Archie Blocher, the little son of Mr. J. J. Blocher, of the Troy Laundry of this city, and a negro work hand, named John Daly.

No bad symptoms were noticed from eating the cream until late Sunday afternoon, when the little child of Mrs. Hagan, both of whom had returned to their home near by, complained of feeling sick, and shortly afterward Mrs. Hagan was also taken ill. Dr. L. Eckhart was summoned at once, and by the time he had arrived at Mrs. Hagan's Mr. Kirk's family were also suffering, and had sent for Dr. James Woolf.

The doctors worked with their patients some time before they could stop their sufferings all of them vomiting continually and complaining of cramping in the stomach. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk seemed to be affected more than any of the others, and, though Mr. Kirk was able to be up yesterday, he was in a very weak condition.

Mrs. Kirk was still unable to leave her bed yesterday afternoon, but she is not thought to be in any danger now.

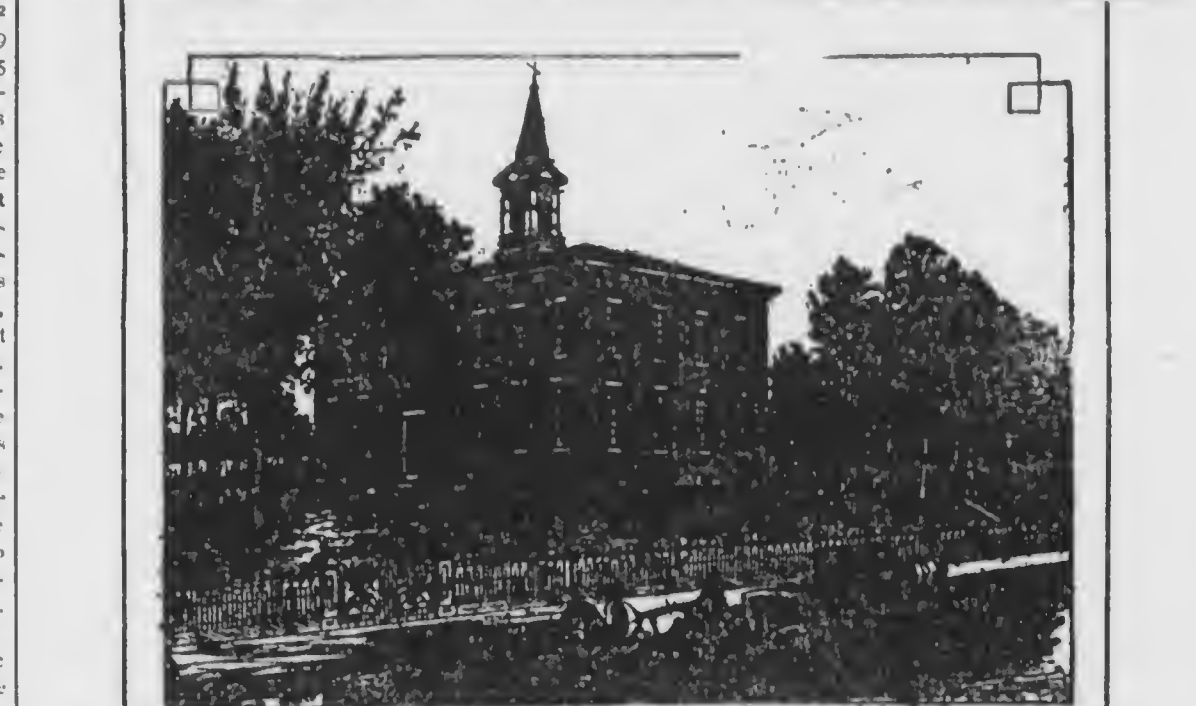
All of those eating the cream, however, had a very narrow escape, as some of the cases would probably have proven fatal had not the physicians been so near at hand.—[Messenger.]

THE members of Preston Morton Post met in their hall last Saturday. We have a membership now of seventy-five comrades. They always have a good time. Old war stories are shot out from the size of a bullet to a forty-pounder. The old soldiers are glad the Hartford militia is getting along so well and wish them success.

## TEACHERS WANTED

Over 4,000 vacancies—several times as many vacancies as members. Must have more members. Several plans: two plans give free registration; one plan GUARANTEE points. Ten cents pays for book containing plans and a \$500.00 Live story of College days. No charge to employers for recommending teachers. SOUTHERN TEACHERS' BUREAU, Rev. Dr. O. M. SITTON, A. M., President and Manager, S. W. Cor. Main and Third streets, Louisville, Ky. SOUTHERN TEACHERS' BUREAU, 19 71 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill. Northern vacancies Chicago office, Southern vacancies Louisville office. One fee registers in both offices.

## THOROUGH! PRACTICAL! UP-TO-DATE!



## HARTFORD COLLEGE AND BUSINESS INSTITUTE, Hartford, Kentucky.

Experienced teachers have been employed for the school year and prospects are bright for a successful year's work. Unity of effort on the part of teachers and patrons has brought the College back to the plane of its former usefulness.

## THE FALL TERM WILL BEGIN AUGUST 30, 1897.

## The Summer Term

Will begin June 13, 1898, continuing six weeks. Tuition for Summer Term \$5.00. Board in the best private families \$2.00 to \$2.50 per week.

For Further information address some member of the Faculty.

T. J. MORTON, President. C. M. CROWE, Vice President. A. P. TAYLOR, Secretary.

## HENRY FIELD & SON

—HAVE OPENED THEIR—



## New TRANSFER LINE

To and From Beaver



# GREAT BARGAINS - - - FOR JULY AT FAIR & COMPANY

Every article in summer wear marked at exactly cost and carriage in order that we may make ready for our Fall Stock. Now is your chance for hot weather bargains at zero prices.

Oxford ties, price . . . . . 75c now 50c  
Oxford ties, price . . . . . \$1.00 now 80c  
Oxford ties, price . . . . . \$1.25 now \$1.00  
Oxford ties, price . . . . . \$1.50 now \$1.15  
Oxford ties, price . . . . . \$2.00 now \$1.50  
All are Primmey's and guaranteed to wear or money refunded.

## Millinery Department.

Our entire line of these goods for less than cost. A few beautiful hats that sold from \$1.25 to \$2.00 your choice now for 75c

## Wash Goods.

One lot of 8c Lawns in stripe and figure now for 5c. All our 10c line now 8c. One lot of dotted swisses in pink, blue and red and green sold for 20c now 15c. We have the best line of these goods in town. Come to see us; prices right.

## Staple Department.

Good yard wide domestic . . . . . 5c  
Good 27 inch shirting . . . . . 5c  
Good 27 inch cheviot . . . . . 7c  
Good 30 inch outing . . . . . 7c  
Good 54 inch table linen . . . . . 15c  
Good yard wide bleached . . . . . 5c  
Good calico . . . . . 4c and 5c  
Good cottonade . . . . . 10c and 12 1/2c

## Notion Department.

2 pair gray hose . . . . . 15c  
1 pair black hose . . . . . 5c  
Sizes 19, 20, 21 and 22 woven corsets, worth 50c to close at . . . 35c  
R. & G. Corset . . . . . 80c worth \$1.00  
Ladies leather belts . . . . . 10c  
Men good shirts . . . . . 50c  
Men good seamless hose . . . . . 10c  
Men heavy cotton sock . . . . . 5c  
25c line of ties to close out at . . . 20c

There is no doubt but what we undersell our competitors; our styles are better, our quality unexcelled. Come direct to Hartford and see the JULY BARGAINS we have for you. Yours Resp'y,

FAIR & CO.

**Southern Normal School**  
LARGEST NORMAL SCHOOL IN THE SOUTH  
ENGLISH TEACHERS' SCIENTIFIC AND CLASSIC COURSES. LOW RATES OF BOARD AND TUITION.  
Music, Art, and Physical Culture. *Cherry Bros.*  
BOWLING GREEN, KY.

From a Free Silver Manifesto.

The following from the Matinsville Hustler, a free silver paper, shows that times are getting much better:

"At the risk of being criticised, we are going to say that we believe that there are signs of returning prosperity in this country. It seems to us that there are many evidences of this. While it is true that it has not yet come in great promise, yet we see on every hand little evidences that cause us to think that it is not so very far in the future. We want to see it, and to believe that it is coming. We may be just a little optimistic in this, but we are always looking to the future for something better than we have had in the past. There have been many periods of adversity through which the people of the United States have been called to pass since we had a country. This one is fresh in our minds and we remember it on account of its being so near to us. We do not believe that any one party is responsible for the state of affairs that have existed in the past, neither do we believe that any one party of itself will bring the prosperity for which we all so much long. While we do not believe in the policy of the McKinley administration, yet we believe in spite of all this, that prosperity is knocking at our very doors and if so, we stand ready to throw them wide open and let it in. It must be brought about by the individual effort of the people themselves. It must be aided in its onward march and the one who would retard its progress is not the friend of the people. We cannot expect this prosperity to come in a day or night any more than we could expect eggs set in the evening to produce frying chickens next morning for breakfast. Wheat is going up, corn and hogs are going up, tobacco is looking up; in fact all kinds of farm products have gone up from twenty to forty per cent. The farmers are all hopeful and there is a smile on their faces such as have not been seen for years. We honestly believe that if every farmer, every laborer, every business man, every newspaper and every man, woman and child in the United States would talk good times and quit talking of hard times, that we should see such prosperity as was never seen in this country since the creation of the world. We want it, we want it badly and we are willing to do our part to

bring it about. We do not intend to do a single thing to retard its coming."

"Don't Tell Me Spill and Spoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York."

The people who use coal will do well to call on J. J. Foster, who is now operating the Elgin Miller bank, 3 1/2 miles south-west of Hartford on the Point Pleasant road. 48 261

A new lot of home spun linen and white duck at Carson & Co.

Self-Applying Station. They brought him home in an ambulance.

"He was almost dead when we found him," they said, "but he's coming around all right now. The room was full of gas when we broke open the door."

The wife of the free silver candidate sighed.

"He must have been talking to himself again," she said. "I've told him a hundred times that it was dangerous."

## Weak Lungs

Hot weather won't cure weak lungs. You may feel better because out of doors more, but the trouble is still there. Don't stop taking your

**Scott's Emulsion**  
because the weather happens to be warm. If you have a weak throat, a slight hacking cough, or some trouble with the bronchial tubes, summer is the best time to get rid of it. If you are losing flesh there is all the more need of attention. Weakness about the chest and thinness should never go together. One greatly increases the danger of the other. Heal the throat, cure the cough, and strengthen the whole system now. Keep taking Scott's Emulsion all summer.



**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against all and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

The Floating Studios at Calhoun. Call on Bullington for a good slave.

Miss Belle Werner is visiting relatives in Buford.

For strictly first-class Photos call on Taylor & Glendinen.

Attorney J. P. Sandefur was on the sick list this week.

Miss Emma Haycraft, Louisville, is visiting the family of Mr. A. L. Morton.

Col. Lem McHenry and Mrs. T. L. Griffin left yesterday for Diamond Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. H. Nave, Louisville, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith this week.

There was a large crowd in town Monday, and our merchants all had good business.

For a quick and comfortable ride to or from Beaver Dam, patronize Fields' bus line.

Taylor & Glendinen make photos from \$1.25 per dozen to five. Call and see our work. 2 3m

While attending court leave your horse at Field & Son's stable. They will treat you right.

Editor A. S. Wootley, Fordsville, and Editor W. M. Likens, Beaver Dam were in town Monday.

Did you know that Taylor & Glendinen make any kind of a photograph from a Queen to a 14x17?

Carson & Co are receiving railroad ties on the banks of the river at Hartford ready for shipment.

WANTED.—To trade a first class blind mare for a good milch cow with young calf. Apply at this office.

Remember that since our boat has been running, we can't be undersold on Furniture. CARSON & CO.

We want some more good correspondents in the country. Send us the news from your neighborhood.

Just received 100 barrels of Ohio River Salt, that we will sell for thirty days at 90 cents per barrel.

Rev. E. M. Crowe, of Louisville, who formerly lived here, is suffering from a disease of his eyes, and it is feared that he will lose his eyesight.

Hartford College and Business Institute will open August 30. The College is now getting on a fine basis and our people will again have a good school. See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Messrs. Alva Pace, Sam Cox, Jr., Elvis Carson and Albert Stewart left Wednesday night for the Mammoth Cave. The boys went through in a wagon, taking their camping outfit and expect to have a pleasant time.

**CASTORIA.**  
It is the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

A Young Kentuckyman's Invention. Thomas B. Dixon, a broad-browed, intelligent looking young man from Henderson, Ky., has accomplished what nearly all of the great electrical inventors and investigators have failed to do—developed a practical sextuplex system of telegraphing.

All of the tests, made in the presence of several experts' were loop tests. The sextuplex was worked over a 300 mile circuit, and, with all sides in operation, the sounders responded to the key with marvelous distinctness. Induction is so thoroughly overcome by Mr. Dixon's system that the different sides of the sextuplex worked as promptly and as clearly as a single wire.

Allowing this test of the sextuplex system, which admits of three messages going each way over the same wire, another loop circuit was rigged. This line went from Boston to Buffalo and return, and from Boston to New Haven and return, a distance of about 1,300 miles. Then the quadruplex feature of the Dixon system was tried and the characters came as clear and clean as the notes of a perfect bell.

No quadruplex system in existence has ever been known to transmit characters clearly on all sides over such a distance of wire without the aid of a repeater at some intermediate station. Tests of the Dixon system have been made in all kinds of weather, and both the quadruplex and the sextuplex, which are embodied in one, work well enough to keep the most nervous sender or receiver in good humor.

Elison is said to be authority for the statement that the use of the quadruplex system has resulted in a saving of \$20,000,000 to one of the great telegraphic companies alone, and in these days of the increasing use of telegraphy Mr. Dixon's invention means the saving of immense sums in wire construction and maintenance.—[Boston Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

New Fall calico 50c at Fair & Co's. Mr. S. C. Walker is on the sick list this week.

\$1 for a ladies heavy button shoe at Fair & Co's.

\$1 men high cut coarse shoes at Fair & Co's.

1 lot of men 50c ties to close at 24c at Fair & Co's.

When you come to court via. Beaver Dam, call for Field's bus.

3 well fast colored bordered handkerchiefs for 10c at Fair & Co's.

25 dozen ladies vest usual price 15c to close at 7 1/2c at Fair & Co's.

Your choice of our handsome ladies waist 50c—was \$1—at Fair & Co's.

Big line of men percale shirts 50c at Fair & Co's—sell everywhere for 75c.

Remnant stock of ladies alippers 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 at Fair & Co's.

Taylor & Glendinen are making the best Photos ever made in Ohio county.

Pure silk serge 26 inch umbrella, former price \$1.50 to close for \$1.00 at Fair & Co.

Miss Laura London, of Henderson, was the guest of Mrs. C. M. Barnett last Saturday.

Miss Sara Collins returned Tuesday from an extended visit to the Tennessee Exposition.

Mrs. Alonzo Walker, Louisville, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Zelma Gregory, this week.

Mr. H. B. Taylor and wife, Louisville, were the guests of relatives in and near Hartford this week.

Rev. J. A. Bennett and wife, Beda, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. M. Barnett, Wednesday.

Mr. Jesse R. Eskridge and sisters, Misses Katie and Lizzie, of Hardinsburg, are visiting the family of Mr. G. B. Williams this week.

Mr. J. L. Tait has returned to his home at Slaughter'sville, after organizing a fine K. of H. Lodge. Mr. Tait is a nice gentleman and made many friends while in Hartford.

Mr. Glendinen has returned from Dawson and will be pleased to see anyone wanting pictures, at Hartford on Monday, McHenry on Tuesday and Beaver Dam the rest of the week.

Mrs. Carrie Williams, who left Hartford several months ago to live in Bowling Green, has moved back to Hartford bringing her family with her. Thus we see that Hartford is the best place in the world to live.

The following named persons have paid their subscription to THE REPUBLICAN since our last issue: Sylvester White, Horse Branch; N. C. Daniel, Cromwell; S. R. Cope, Select; A. G. Teel, Trisler; Jno. Allen Elizabethton.

Mr. J. R. Latimer has been in this section this week representing the Stark's Nursery Co., and has been meeting with good success. He has sold a large number of fruit trees, ornamental trees, &c. Mr. Latimer is a first-class business man and is representing one of the best nurseries in the United States.

Notice. All laundry must be paid for when delivered hereafter or you won't get your laundry.

LYMAN WILLIAMS, Agt.

Sunday School Entertainment. According to announcement Miss Lula Walker's Sunday School class gave quite a pleasant entertainment at her home at "Elmhurst" Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Baptist church. The program as rendered by the class was as follows:

Recitation—Miss Lula Walker.  
Reading—Miss Maggie Davis.  
Song—Miss Willie Smith.  
Recitation—Miss Ethel Bennett.  
Recitation—Miss Florence White.  
Song—Miss Ella Rowe.  
Recitation—Miss Lillie Burton.  
Song—Miss Jessie Smith.  
Recitation—Miss Fannie Render.  
Song—Miss Ella Rowe.  
Recitation—Miss Juliet Thomas.  
Song—Miss Jessie Smith.  
Recitation—Miss Ella Rowe.  
Closing Remarks—Judge E. D. Walker.

Space forbids a strict mention of the rendition of each subject, but we only voice the sentiment of the large audience when we say that each and everyone of the young ladies acquitted herself in a way as to reflect credit on their teacher, and as an ornament to the Sunday School which they belong.

After the program had been rendered refreshments were served and the young people enjoyed themselves in various ways until the hour arrived for departure. Quite a handsome sum was realized for the church.

V. B. Gentry Dead. Forrester, Tex., July 31, '97—Death visited the little town of V. B. Gentry and claimed his own V. B. Gentry a well known citizen of this county and also of Ohio county. Mr. Gentry has as many friends to mourn his loss as any young man in our county. He came to Texas sixteen years ago and engaged in agricultural pursuits until January 1891, he then came to Forrester and engaged in the mercantile business and remained there with the exception of one year, until his death. He made a success of business and accumulated a great deal of property. Besides this he won for himself a name that is an honor to him and his parents. It is said that his mother called him to her death bedside and instructed him in the way that she wanted him to live and the kind of a man she wanted

him to make. It is said by men that have known him from infancy that he has never departed from the law of his mother. I have known him for six years and never knew of him doing anything wrong, but have known of his doing a great many charitable deeds. He was always ready to give to the poor and needy and help to support charitable institutions. He was as honest that he could say in the language of the prophet, "Who have I wronged," and the answer came back as did in his case, "no man."

No, he never wronged any man, has walked in the path of right. His only motto was to do right, regardless of cost. The only thing that is left to cause the friends of this good man to remember him is the little mound that rises just above his bosom and the name that is written on the tomb stone that stands at his head in Waxahachie City Cemetery.

Friends, it is sad to have to part with one we love so very much, but let us bear in mind that for the righteous to die is gain; yes it is the only way to gain a home where sorrow never comes.

So calm and quietly did he die that one would have thought that he was going to sleep. He leaves one sister and three brothers to mourn his loss. I can only say to his sister and brothers to weep not, but try to live as he has lived and the future will be bright.

A FRIEND.

Our old friend, McHenry Rhoads, is conducting the Institute this week at Brandenburg and right well is he doing it. He has developed into a great educator and an enthusiastic school worker and we are glad to see it. And to sit and listen to the graceful thoughts and bright ideas which flow from his pleasant talks, it is truly an inspiration, not only to the young and ambitious teacher, but those of us who are older and know the value of an education.—[Breckinridge News.

Notice to Log Men. The undersigned is again with John A. Reitz & Sons and will be ready about the 1st of August to make contracts for spring of 1898 delivery.

Would be pleased to see and make prices to all who contemplate cutting logs the present season. My Post-office address is Hartford, Ky., and will be in Hartford Mondays and Saturdays of every week, so far as possible.

W. H. MOORE, 1-41 Agt. for Jno. A. Reitz & Sons.

Tired, Nervous, Sleepless. Men and women—how grateful they write about Hood's Sarsaparilla. Once helpless and discouraged, having lost all faith in medicines, now in good health and "able to do my own work," because Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to enrich and purify the blood and make the weak strong—this is experience of a host of people.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

The Indianapolis Journal prints this interesting story concerning ex-President Harrison's forthcoming book: General Harrison has just completed the revision of his articles which have appeared in The Ladies' Home Journal, making extended notes and additions to them. There is a little story in connection with both articles and publications. When the arrangement for the articles was made with General Harrison by Edward W. Bok, editor of The Ladies' Home Journal, the General was paid for them, with the understanding that when they were put to book form the magazine was to share the royalties accruing therefrom. Mr. Bok, however, of his own accord, generously released General Harrison from paying him royalty, for the reason, as he states, that by the publication of the articles by General Harrison the subscription list of his magazine was enlarged many thousands. The profits to The Ladies' Home Journal were more than the publishers anticipated, and in view of this Mr. Bok asks nothing further. General Harrison placed the disposition of his book in Mr. Bok's hands. The best offer came to the editor from the Scribners, and to them Mr. Bok gave the book for his distinguished contributor. General Harrison's revision of the book has just been completed, and the volume will appear in the autumn.

A Great Oriental Cure. The 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm which can be had of the druggist is sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Send to cents, we will mail it. Full size 50c.

Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., N. Y. Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm drooping of nuchus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

A Nervous Cure. A gang of boys have been slaying dogs with poison, and today warrants were issued for Leslie Gillin, Coots Matthews and Casper Limback for delivering poison.

The boys had made a plot to kill a certain dog, and accordingly Matthews who stays in a butcher shop, took a piece of meat to Gillin, who poisoned it nicely with strychnine. Matthews then took the meat and gave it to Casper Limback, who gave it to a little boy, who gave it to a countryman's dog, who gave up the ghost in twelve minutes by the clock. All the boys will be arrested under the statute fixing a penalty of \$100 for delivering poison to a minor under 15 years old. They will be tried tomorrow.—[Inquirer.

Charge Your Time With Castoria. Castoria (castor oil) cures constipation forever. 10c. 25c. If C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

A Large Crowd and an Enthusiastic Meeting.

EVERY PRECINCT REPRESENTED.

Pursuant to call the Republicans of Ohio county met in convention at the various precincts last Saturday to make a nomination for Representative. There were two candidates for the nomination.

The County Convention met at the Court House in Hartford Monday at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of receiving reports of the precinct meetings.

The organization was perfected by the election of Mr. Jno. H. Thomas, chairman, and Messrs. Sam A. Anderson and D. P. Gibbs, secretaries. Upon taking the chair Mr. Thomas made a rousing Republican speech, calling attention to the beauties of Republicanism as compared with Democracy. The convention proceeded to business by appointing the following named gentlemen a committee on resolutions: C. M. Barnett, N. Barrass, W. S. Gains, R. H. Everly, Geo. M. Maddox, who reported as follows:

Resolved, That we approve the call for this convention, also the call for a convention to be held in Louisville on the 10th for the nomination of a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, and at Rockport on the 31d to name a candidate for State Senator and at Owensboro on the 17th to nominate candidates for Commonwealth's Attorney and Circuit Judge.

2nd. That we re-affirm our allegiance to the principles of the Republican party, as set forth in the St. Louis platform and point with pride to the honest efforts of President McKinley to carry out the pledges of the party to restore this country to a protective tariff, which has already brought about good results and abundant evidences of returning prosperity.

3rd. That we approve the efforts of our Republican State Legislature to put Kentucky on a good financial basis so that her state warrants may be worth their face value, and that the state may rid herself of her Democratic indebtedness.

4th. That we commend the Republican members of the Legislature in that they were at last successful in the election of that splendid Republican, Hon. W. J. Deboe, to the United States Senate. We suggest the following list of delegates to represent us at the State convention August 10: N. Barrass, Alvis Bennett, C. T. Whittinghill, C. M. Barnett, W. S. Gains, C. P. Keown, M. L. Heavrin, E. D. Guffy, W. A. Gibson John P. Morton, Geo. Maddox, Tom Marks, R. B. Martin. To Rockport Senatorial Convention: E. P. Neal, W. A. Gibson, R. C. Jarnagin, John M. Bishop, C. L. Woodward, D. F. Gibbs, Perry Westerfield, Scott Kimmel, Geo. Thousen P. A. Gary, L. P. Crowder, Wm. Bryant. To Judicial Convention at Owensboro: I. C. Adair, E. P. Neal, W. A. Gibson, John P. Morton, Dr. J. W. Meador, H. C. Leach, N. Barrass, R. A. Byers, Sam Bishop, C. M. Barnett, Capt. David Duncan, B. F. Bruner, Morris Taylor.

C. M. BARNETT, NICHOLAS BARRASS, W. S. GAINS, R. H. EVERLY, GEO. M. MADDOX, } Cou.

While the committee on resolutions was out the convention was entertained by speeches from Messrs. J. L. Moore and J. C. Park.

Delegates to the Judicial Convention were introduced to cast the vote of Ohio county for Hon. Geo. W. Joly for Circuit Judge and Hon. E. P. Neal for Commonwealth's Attorney.

The convention then proceeded to nominate a candidate for Representative. Mr. R. A. Byers, one of the candidates, withdrew and moved that Mr. R. C. Jarnagin be nominated by acclamation, which was done. Mr. Jarnagin made a happy little speech in accepting the nomination. Mr. Byers made a short talk, thanking the people for the support he had received and pledging his support to the entire county ticket. The convention was large and harmonious.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Castoria Candy Castoria. 10c or 25c. If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

circuits Court. The Ohio Circuit Court convened Monday. Judge W. T. Owen was on hand to see that the litigants had fair and impartial trials.

Judge L. P. Little, Judge C. W. Maasie, Owensboro, and Attorneys J. R. Eskridge, Hardinsburg; S. P. Roby, Fordsville, and B. L. Kelly, Nashville, were visiting court this week.

The Court will be in session three weeks. The following is a list of Petit Jurors empaneled for the present term of Circuit Court: John L. Rock, J. M. Casebier, Alfred Asby, Leslie Ward, W. L. James, L. A. Stevens, John W. O'Bannon, Geo. Casebier, Sanford Asby, Sam W. Bell, Geo. Dodson, Jas. M. Nail, R. V. Wells, E. O. Porter, Cyrus O. Brown, John Asby, W. H. Burton, Ben R. Kelley, Warren Lindley, Jas. C. Haynes, J. P. Tichenor, A. G. Teel, Joseph Hoover.

The scolding case of Foreman against Cate, defendant filed answer, which plaintiff moved be verified. Plaintiff sustained. Plaintiff demurred and moved to strike out second paragraph of said answer, sustained. Plaintiff announced ready. Defendants objected and moved to file an amended answer, plaintiff objected, objections sustained except a small part of it and case set for Thursday, August 12th for trial. Messrs. Neal and Barnett represented plaintiff and Glenn & Wedding and Taylor & McHenry and Rowe the defense.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

**DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER**  
MOST PERFECT MADE.  
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

The most popular trip for the summer to Old Point Comfort and the Seashore.

Much right feeling for very small expense.

The regular Annual Excursion to Old Point Comfort in charge of Mr. W. A. Wilgus, S. P. A., will be run Wednesday, Aug. 11th, via I. C., and C. & O. Railways, from Beaver Dam on regular train, leaving at 4:51 p. m. Aug. 10th, connecting with Seashore Special, which leaves Union Station, foot of Seventh street, at 1:30 p. m. The round trip rate to Old Point Comfort is only \$ . . . and the tickets are good until September 2nd, with stop over privileges returning only.

This trip surpasses any offered the traveling public, and affords many delightful diversions. Grand and beautiful scenery, invigorating mountain air, aur-bathing, ocean voyage, palatial hotel entertainment and a visit to the Capital, if desired.

The low rate of \$2.50 per day has been secured at the Hygeia and Chamberlain Hotels. Every attention and courtesy will be extended to ladies without escorts. Choice of routes returning, between Richmond and Clifton Forge, will be given, enabling those who desire to visit Lynchburg, Natural Bridge and other points of interest.

Sleeping car rates will be \$4.00 for berth, Lotisville to Old Point, to be occupied by on or two persons, and application for sleeping car space should be made at once to W. A. Wilgus, S. P. A., Hopkinsville, Ky. For further particulars, address as above or call on Agent I. C. R. y.

CASTORIA. It is the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

Quick Work of the Dingley Bill. The quick work done by Congress on the Dingley Tariff bill is hardly appreciated as it should be. Congress was called together in extraordinary session on March 15. In four months and nine days the bill had passed both the United States Senate and the House of Representatives, was acted upon in conference, finally passed by the Senate and was signed by the President. This covered a period of 131 days. In 1890 the McKinley bill, reported April 26, passed the House May 21, but was delayed in the Senate till September, and again delayed in conference, not being signed by the President till October 1, 1890. It was in all 168 days before Congress.

When the Democratic party was in control, the Mills bill dragged along in 1888 and 1889 for nearly 300 days, and then failed to pass. The Gorman-Wilson bill was reported to the House by the Ways and Means Committee on December 19, 1893, and reported to the Senate on February 20, 1894. It did not become a law till August 28, 1894, and was then such a "rag-bag production" of "perfidy and dishonor" that even the Democratic President refused to sign it.

The difference between the Republicans and Democrats in enacting tariff legislation in Congress is very marked. The Republicans passed the McKinley bill 168 days, and the Dingley bill in 131 days, each bill receiving the signature of the Republican President.

The Democrats, on the other hand, wasted some 300 days over the Mills bill, which never became a law and they wasted 252 days over the Gorman-Wilson bill, which proved to be such an abortion that even President Cleveland refused to sign it.—[Economist.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Castoria Candy Castoria. 10c or 25c. If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

circuits Court. The Ohio Circuit Court convened Monday. Judge W. T. Owen was on hand to see that the litigants had fair and impartial trials.

Judge L. P. Little, Judge C. W. Maasie, Owensboro, and Attorneys J. R. Eskridge, Hardinsburg; S. P. Roby, Fordsville, and B. L. Kelly, Nashville, were visiting court this week.

The Court will be in session three weeks. The following is a list of Petit Jurors empaneled for the present term of Circuit Court: John L. Rock, J. M. Casebier, Alfred Asby, Leslie Ward, W. L. James, L. A. Stevens, John W. O'Bannon, Geo. Casebier, Sanford Asby, Sam W. Bell, Geo. Dodson, Jas. M. Nail, R. V. Wells, E. O. Porter, Cyrus O. Brown, John Asby, W. H. Burton, Ben R. Kelley, Warren Lindley, Jas. C. Haynes, J. P. Tichenor, A. G. Teel, Joseph Hoover.

The scolding case of Foreman against Cate, defendant filed answer, which plaintiff moved be verified. Plaintiff sustained. Plaintiff demurred and moved to strike out second paragraph of said answer, sustained. Plaintiff announced ready. Defendants objected and moved to file an amended answer, plaintiff objected, objections sustained except a small part of it and case set for Thursday, August 12th for trial. Messrs. Neal and Barnett represented plaintiff and Glenn & Wedding and Taylor & McHenry and Rowe the defense.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Castoria Candy Castoria. 10c or 25c. If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

circuits Court. The Ohio Circuit Court convened Monday. Judge W. T. Owen was on hand to see that the litigants had fair and impartial trials.

Judge L. P. Little, Judge C. W. Maasie, Owensboro, and Attorneys J. R. Eskridge, Hardinsburg; S. P. Roby, Fordsville, and B. L. Kelly, Nashville, were visiting court this week.

The Court will be in session three weeks. The following is a list of Petit Jurors empaneled for the present term of Circuit Court: John L. Rock, J. M. Casebier, Alfred As



Every Young Man and Woman  
Who desires to better his or her condition in life, should write for  
the Catalogue of the  
**BRYANT & STRATTON BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
No. 400 THIRD STREET, LOUISVILLE, KY.